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Department Clearance Officer for PRA, U.S. Department of Justice.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

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Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed eCollection eComments Requested; Certification on Agency Letterhead Authorizing Purchase of Firearm for Official Duties of Law Enforcement Officer

AGENCY: Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Department of Justice.

ACTION: 60-Day notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Justice (DOJ), Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), will submit the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for 60 days until October 11, 2016.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have additional comments especially on the estimated public burden or associated response time, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Rinell Lawrence, Firearms Industry Program Branch, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), 99 New York Ave. NE., Washington, DC 20226 at email and telephone: fipb-informationcollection@atf.gov and 202-648-7190. Written comments and/or suggestions can also be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20503 or sent to OIRA_submissions@omb.eop.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should

address one or more of the following four points:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Evaluate whether and if so how the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected can be enhanced; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of This Information Collection

1. *Type of Information Collection (check justification or form 83-I):* Extension, without change, of a currently approved collection.

2. *The Title of the Form/Collection:* Certification on Agency Letterhead Authorizing Purchase of Firearm for Official Duties of Law Enforcement Officer.

3. *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:*

Form number (if applicable): None.

Component: Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, U.S. Department of Justice.

4. *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:*

a. *Primary:* State, Local, or Tribal Government.

b. *Other (if applicable):* None.

Abstract: The letter is used by a law enforcement officer to purchase handguns to be used in his/her official duties from a licensed firearm dealer anywhere in the country. The letter shall state that the officer will use the firearm in official duties and that a records check reveals that the purchasing officer has no convictions for misdemeanor crimes of domestic violence.

5. *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* An estimated 50,000 respondents will take 8 minutes to complete and file the letter.

6. *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the*

collection: The estimated annual public burden associated with this collection is 6,667 hours.

If additional information is required contact: Jerri Murray, Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Justice Management Division, Policy and Planning Staff, Two Constitution Square, 145 N Street NE., Room 3E-405B, Washington, DC 20530.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Node.js Foundation

Notice is hereby given that, on July 14, 2016, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Node.js Foundation has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Dynatrace LLC, Waltham, MA, has been added as a party to this venture.

Also, Famous Industries, Inc., San Francisco, CA; and Progress Software, Bedford, MA, have withdrawn as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and Node.js Foundation intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On August 17, 2015, Node.js Foundation filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on September 28, 2015 (80 FR 58297).

The last notification was filed with the Department on April 26, 2016. A notice was published in the **Federal**

Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on June 9, 2016 (81 FR 37215).

Patricia A. Brink,

Director of Civil Enforcement, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Heterogeneous System Architecture Foundation

Notice is hereby given that, on July 7, 2016, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), Heterogeneous System Architecture Foundation (“HSA Foundation”) has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act’s provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Friedrich-Alexander-University Erlangen-Nurnberg (FAU), Erlangen, GERMANY, has been added as a party to this venture.

Also, Sonics, Inc., Milpitas, CA; Tensilica, Inc., Santa Clara, CA; STMicroelectronics International, Amsterdam, THE NETHERLANDS; Analog Devices, Inc., Norwood, MA; Industrial Technology Research Institute of Taiwan, Hsinchu, TAIWAN; VIA Technologies, Inc., New Taipei City, TAIWAN; System Software Lab National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, TAIWAN; and Tsinghua University, Beijing, PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, have withdrawn as parties to this venture. No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and HSA Foundation intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On August 31, 2012, HSA Foundation filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on October 11, 2012 (77 FR 61786).

The last notification was filed with the Department on April 12, 2016. A notice was published in the **Federal**

Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on May 18, 2016 (81 FR 31259).

Patricia A. Brink,

Director of Civil Enforcement, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—R Consortium, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on July 19, 2016, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), R Consortium, Inc. (“R Consortium”) has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act’s provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, IBM Corporation, Armonk, NY, has been added as a party to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and R Consortium intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On September 15, 2015, R Consortium filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on October 2, 2015 (80 FR 59815).

The last notification was filed with the Department on May 23, 2016. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on June 21, 2016 (81 FR 40350).

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Director of Civil Enforcement, Antitrust Division.

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Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Medical CBRN Defense Consortium (Formerly National Chemical Biological Defense Consortium)

Notice is hereby given that, on June 23, 2016, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), National Chemical Biological Defense Consortium (“NCBDC”) has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act’s provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. National Chemical & Biological Defense Consortium (“NCBDC”) has changed its name to Medical CBRN Defense Consortium (“MCDC”). Specifically, Advantech Technologies, Inc., New York, NY; AEQUOR, Inc., Oceanside, CA; AktiVax, Inc., Boulder, CO; Alchem Laboratories Corp., Alachua, FL; Artificial Cell Technologies, Inc., New Haven, CT; Bach Pharma, Inc., North Andover, MA; Battelle Memorial Institute, Columbus, OH; Bryllan LLC, Brighton, MI; Creare LLC, Hanover, NH; CUBRC, Inc., Buffalo, NY; Data Sciences International, Inc., St. Paul, MN; First Line Technology, LLC, Chantilly, VA; Ginkgo Bioworks, Boston, MA; Harris Corporation, Herndon, VA; IIT Research Institute, Chicago, IL; Integrated Biotherapeutics, Inc., Gaithersburg, MD; InvivoSciences, Inc., Madison, WI; Joint Research and Development, Inc., Stafford, VA; Mapp BioPharmaceuticals, San Diego, CA; MaxCyte, Incorporated, Gaithersburg, MD; MRIGlobal, Kansas City, MO; Nanotherapeutics, Inc., Alachua, FL; Philips Healthcare, Andover, MA; Profectus BioSciences, Inc., Baltimore, MD; ProModel Corporation, Allentown, PA; QuickSilver Analytics, Inc., Belcamp, MD; SciTech Services, Inc., Havre de Grace, MD; SENTEL Corporation, Alexandria, VA; Shield Analysis Technology, LLC, Manassas, VA; Southwest Research Institute, San Antonio, TX; SRI International, Menlo Park, CA; Tech62, Fairfax, VA; Triton Systems, Inc., Chelmsford, MA; University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA; University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN; and Verndari Inc., Napa,